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Camellia Festival at Descanso Garden Attracting Thousands

With many thousand camellia blooms in their greatest color array, the Second Annual Descanso Gardens Camellia Festival at La Canada is now attracting visitors from throughout the United States, a check of the lounge register revealed today. Descanso Gardens assumed national significance over the

week end when delegates to the American Camellia Society Convention poured into the 160-acre floral wonderland. The festival, featuring the world's largest concentration of ornamental camellia bushes, will continue daily through Sunday, March 11. In addition to the camellias in bloom on bushes, there are many cut flowers on display in booths along the lawn, in the lounge, and in the hospitality house, Superintendent John Threlkeld announced.

Daily Events
The professional cut flower arrangements are in charge of the Southern Californian Floral Assn., with Walter Swartz, executive secretary directing. Each day until the close of

the festival, there will be special events. They will include daily lectures by such horticulturalists as Norvell Gillespie, Joe Littlefield, Mrs. Dawn Stead, Ken Kay, Pat Burke, and Dave Gilfillan. In the hospitality house, daily motion pictures and slides on camellia culture will be shown. The landscape camellia exhibit from the camellia show of Feb. 25 and 26 will remain undisturbed until the end of the festival on March 11.

There will be demonstrations of pruning, how to make floral arrangements, and how to make floral arrangements. Among the camellias currently in bloom at Descanso are: Lallaroek, My Darling, Carolyn

Tuttle, William Penn, Margaret Hertrich, Magnoliaeflora, and Professor Charles Sargent.

Descanso Gardens is located at 1418 Descanso Dr., in La Canada. Information may be obtained by phoning SYVAN 0-5871.

Admission for adults is 50 cents, for children 12 to 18 it is 25 cents, and is free to children under 12, when accompanied by an adult. Hours of Descanso are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each week day.

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Will Display Olympic Theme

By CNEA News Service
Flowers and plants of Australia, will be displayed in a dramatic exhibit by the educational committee of the California International Flower Show to be held at Hollywood Park, March 17 through 25.

This year's exhibit will reproduce a section of the Olympic stadium at Melbourne, where the Olympic Games will be held this year. A tunnel will lead to the stadium, opening to a panel with the Olympic circles reproduced in multicolored bedding plants.

The west side of the exhibit will show the continents of the world and the national or typical flowers of each nation participating in the Olympic Games.

The east side of the exhibit will be a botanical garden of Australian plants from lush tropics through a transition zone to semi-desert types and varieties.

Chairman of the educational committee is Philip Chandler.

of the University of California.

Other committee members are Francis Dean, landscape architect, Los Angeles; Marston Kimball, Dr. Mildred E. Mathias and Dr. V. G. Stoutemyer, all from the University of California; Lester O. Mathews, of the Los Angeles City Board of Education; John Stark, Los Angeles County Agricultural Extension Service; Dr. W. S. Stewart, Los Angeles State and County Arboretum; Charles Wenger, Los Angeles City Schools; Fred W. Rowenkamp, City of Los Angeles; Mrs. Mary Green, Los Angeles City Library; and Nolan Kiner, of Pierce Agricultural College.

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